

Ward Notification

Tucson Fire Department





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Date: August 1, 2009

Ward 3 – Mobile Home Fire – 3300 Block of North Romero Road

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Dispatch Time – 0948 On-Scene Time – 0954 Under Control - 0959

A 62-year-old man was displaced after his mobile home was destroyed this morning. He was not present when the fire started. The neighbors noticed the smoke and flames and called 911. One person attempted to extinguish the fire with a garden hose. When firefighters arrived, the interior of the home was completely engulfed. Nobody was found inside. Five minutes later the fire was extinguished. No injuries occurred.

Red Cross is assisting with food, clothing and shelter. Cause – Accidental – Electrical Origin – Inside home near west wall Damage estimate - \$10,000

Safety Message: Extension cords should not be used as a substitute for permanent wiring. Follow the manufacturer's instructions and be careful not to overload them.